

Alexandria Gazette and Virginia Advertiser

Alexandria Gazette

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JULY 13.

TREADING WATER.—The Indians on the Mississippi river, when they have occasion to traverse that impetuous stream, invariably tread water just as the dogs tread it. The natives of Joshua an island on the coast of Madagascar, young persons of both sexes, walk the water carrying fruit and vegetables on their heads, or it may be treading in the mud and mire away. Some Creoles whose names were given before my eyes in the newspaper on the coast of Africa, said the water, to which they were treading after their wives, with the utmost difficulty, was so deep that they could not get across. They had to wade through the water, holding on to other Creoles, and sometimes getting assistance from other Creoles. Creoles are very tall people. At Mombasa, watching their opportunity, most of them would jump into the water, and into the boiling surf, and make their way through the water, to the waves outside, through a sea in which an ordinary European boat would not move. At the Cape of Good Hope men used to proceed to the vessels in the offing through the mountains below, treading the water as they went with the utmost security. And yet here, on our own shores and throughout waters, men, women and children perish like flies annually, when a little property directed right—treading the water as he does—would safely suffice to rescue them every one.

Ask your druggist for a copy of "Young Man's Friend"—and read it!

MASON'S PORCELAIN LINED FRUIT JARS
cheap at MCBURNETT'S

Go to MCBURNETT'S and get a small Pig HAM (two pieces) and well cured. Just what you want for summer use.

At MCBURNETT'S STORE excursions can get supplies they need in the line of PICKLES, LUNCHEON AND POTTED MEATS, SARDINES, CONDIMENTS, CONFECTIONERY &c.

Opening and Closing of the Banks.

CLOSING.

Washington, D. C., and Northeastern mails 8 a.m., 12 o'clock, 1 p.m. and 4 p.m.; Western mails, via Richmond, Va., 8:30 a.m. and 12 o'clock, 1 p.m.

South and Southwestern mails, via Lynchburg, Virginia, west and through mails, 7:30 a.m. and 12 o'clock.

Alexandria Division 7:30 a.m.

Alexandria Round Hill, Va., 8:00 a.m. EVENING.

Northern and Western mails, via Washington, D. C., 8:30 a.m., 12 m. and 4 p.m.; Southern mails, via Richmond, Va., 8:30 a.m. and 12 o'clock.

Southwestern mails via Lynchburg, Virginia, (through mails) including West Virginia and Middle, 8:30 a.m. and 12 o'clock.

Business Division 7:30 p.m. for Rock bottom.

Round Hill to Alexandria, Va., 8:30 p.m.

Other Hours—Office opens at 8:30 a.m., and closes at 7:00 p.m.

Sunday Hours—Office opens at 8:30 a.m., and closes at 6:30 p.m.

22 EAST 20TH STREET, NEW YORK.

B. F. FREAKE.

DEALER IN

Doors, Sash, Blinds, Hardware,

Paints, Oils, Leads, Cement, Lumber, Lime, Colored Plaster, Glass, Mirrors, Hardware, &c. &c.

CORNER KING AND PITT STREETS

decked Alexandria, Va.

JAMES F. CARLIN & SONS,

NO. 63 KING STREET,

ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

HARDWARE and CUTLERY

Builders' Hardware, Locks, Hinges, Screws, Door Bits, Letters, &c., Saddlery, Hardware, Bridle Bits, Buckles, Tongs, Bits, &c., &c. Wheelwrights' Hardware, Gages, Rims, Hubs, Spokes, Hubs, Axles, Keys, Knives, Cutters, Pockets, Boxes, Tools, Keys, Locks, Padlocks, Butcher Knives, Axes, Knives, Pincers, Cartridges, Caps, &c., Nails, Spikes, Horse Shoes, Galvanized Nails and Spikes, Steel Barb Zinc Wire, Farm Bolts, &c. A full and complete stock of first class goods always in store and sold at lowest cash prices. Orders from country merchants promptly attended to and have our personal attention.

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JNO. W. PEAKE.

E. W. HALLS,

PEAKE & HALLS,

DEALER IN

DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, HARDWARE,

PAINTS, OILS, LEADS, CEMENT,

LIME, CALCAINED PLASTER

SLATE, SHANTLES, &c.

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Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

HARDWARE, CUTLERY, HORSESHOES,

IRON, PLUMB, CASTINGS, NAIL HODS, AXLE

GROSVENOR MATERIALS, HOUSE

TOOLS, &c. &c.

NO. 88 KING STREET, CORNER ROYAL

mb 8 Alexandria, Virginia.

H. N. BISHOP CONDITION POWDERS

Wholesale and retail by

CHARLES S. TAYLOR, Jr.,

18 King Street.

SEED CORN SEED CORN! — a lot of

choice white and yellow seed corn on hand

for sale by CHARLES S. TAYLOR, Jr.,

mb 27 No 23 King street.

GODFREY'S POTATO PAPER, a nice

little machine for paring potatoes, at a low

price. King st., corner of Bryan.

Aug 16 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

CYPHERS AND CHOCOLATES, Cigar Fingers, S. C. &c. for sale cheap at King street, corner of Royal.

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COAT, COAT, COAT!—Another fresh supply

of Exclusive Fox Fur Coat for ladies' wear

W. F. CREIGHTON & SON,

85 King Street.

DEATH TO CATS.—Another fresh supply

of Exclusive Fox Fur Coat for ladies' wear

W. F. CREIGHTON & SON,

85 King Street.

CALL AND EXAMINE THE MARY-

LAND BISCUIT WORKER,

BLEAS & BLEAS,

76 King street.

LADIES TURN UP SKIRT!—all the

larger varieties are received in largest

and for sale at very low rates.

JANNIVY & CO.

HAY, COOP, OATS, and MILL FEED for

chaff and dehairing to any part of the

country.

C. S. TAYLOR JR.

TIUBS—30 Cedar Tubs, medium and large

TIUBS—purchaseable bottom prices received

to day add to me now by

J. C. MILBURN.

POTOMAC FOR POTATO BUGS.—London

Purple and Paris Green of the best quality.

A full supply received.

Aug 16 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

LADIES' GALL兹 UNDERSKIRTS low

C. M. ADAMS,

76 King street.

MISS'S GAUZE UNDERSKIRTS sizes 34

to 46 inches. Prices 40c, 50c, 65c, and 75c.

C. M. ADAMS,

92 King street.

POISON FOR POTATO BUGS.—London

Purple and Paris Green of the best quality.

A full supply received.

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CAN CEMENT! CAN CEMENT 100

lbs Can Cement for sale to the trade at low

prices.

J. C. MILBURN.

ESTLER'S BISKIT FOOD, a perfect

meal for infants, children and invalids,

just received and for sale at

Aug 16 J. C. MILBURN.

PRIME S. C. BREAKFAST PIECES

thin and lean, and choice S. C. Under

and Ham just received and for sale by

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